

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT



Judge Douglas B. Thomas was appointed to the Seventh District Court in April 2007 by Governor Jon M. Huntsman, Jr. He serves Carbon, Emery, Grand, and San Juan counties. Judge Thomas received his undergraduate degree from Weber State University, an M.B.A. from the University of Utah, and Juris Doctorate from the University of Utah College of Law in 1989. He worked for the law firm of Van Cott, Bagley, Cornwall and McCarthy and later was a shareholder with Gridley, Ward and Shaw where he managed the firm's Layton office. Judge Thomas was appointed as a District Court Commissioner in 2003 where he served until his present appointment. In addition to his courtroom responsibilities, he currently serves on the Board of District Court Judges, the Family Law Executive Committee of the Utah State Bar and as co-chair of the Judicial Council's Standing Committee on Children and Family Law.

Judge Thomas's compliance with performance standards is as follows:

Judge

Douglas B. Thomas

District Court
Seventh Judicial District
(Carbon, Emery, Grand,
San Juan)

- 1) A favorable rating by at least 70% of the respondents on at least 75% of the attorney survey questions. See specific results below.
- 2) A favorable rating by at least 70% of the respondents on at least 75% of the juror survey questions. See specific results below.
- 3) Had fewer than the maximum allowable cases held under advisement.
- 4) Had at least 30 hours of continuing judicial education annually during his term.
- 5) Mentally and physically fit for office.
- 6) In substantial compliance with the Code of Judicial Conduct.

Survey of Attorneys

There were 42 respondents for Judge Thomas.

Question (See page 40 for questions)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Total Favorable	%	95	95	100	93	88	98	95	100	88	83	100	95	88
Excellent	%	60	60	71	53	48	60	57	60	50	49	51	42	52
More than Adequate	%	21	19	22	16	26	16	21	17	26	20	27	32	26
Adequate	%	14	16	7	23	14	21	17	24	12	15	22	21	10
Less than Adequate	%	2	5	0	5	7	2	2	0	2	12	0	0	7
Inadequate	%	2	0	0	2	5	0	2	0	10	5	0	5	5

Survey of Jurors

There were 15 respondents for Judge Thomas.

Yes	%	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No	%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



Judge George M. Harmond, Jr. was appointed to the Seventh District Court in December 2005 by Gov. Jon M. Huntsman, Jr. He serves Carbon, Emery, Grand, and San Juan counties. Judge Harmond received his undergraduate degree from the University of Utah, and a law degree in May 1981 from Creighton University School of Law. Judge Harmond was in general private practice from October 1981 until his appointment to the bench. In addition to his private practice, Judge Harmond served as Deputy Carbon County Attorney from 1987 to 2005. He was appointed to the Utah Board of Water Resources by Governor Michael O. Leavitt in April 2003 and served until December 2005.

Judge Harmond's compliance with performance standards is as follows:

Judge

George M. Harmond, Jr.

District Court
Seventh Judicial District
(Carbon, Emery, Grand,
San Juan)

- 1) A favorable rating by at least 70% of the respondents on at least 75% of the attorney survey questions. See specific results below.
- 2) A favorable rating by at least 70% of the respondents on at least 75% of the juror survey questions. See specific results below.
- 3) Had fewer than the maximum allowable cases held under advisement.
- 4) Had at least 30 hours of continuing judicial education annually during his term.
- 5) Mentally and physically fit for office.
- 6) In substantial compliance with the Code of Judicial Conduct.

Survey of Attorneys

There were 31 respondents for Judge Harmond.

Question (See page 40 for questions)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Total Favorable	%	94	90	93	87	94	97	97	97	94	90	93	96	90
Excellent	%	65	61	63	63	58	68	74	68	61	63	57	65	61
More than Adequate	%	19	23	27	10	16	26	13	23	23	17	30	19	16
Adequate	%	10	7	3	13	19	3	10	7	10	10	7	12	13
Less than Adequate	%	3	7	3	7	3	0	0	0	0	7	3	0	7
Inadequate	%	3	3	3	7	3	3	3	3	7	3	3	4	3